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POWDER TO BE MANUFACTURED AT ABBOTSFORD.

The farmer of the Fraser Valley will welcome any institution that will manufacture locally anything that will prove to his advantage, and it is certain that the establishment of the Dominion Powder Company's works at Abbotsford means much to the pay roll of the town and much more to the farmer in the surrounding districts who has land to clear.

From investigation this paper believes that the people need have no fear as to the safety of the powder works. The powder to be manufactured is the identical powder manufactured by the Imperial Company in the United States, whose factory is situated at the City of Chehalis, Washington. This powder is in no sense a dynamite or has it any of the dangerous attributes of dynamite, either in the manufacture, handling, transportation or use. It appears that it is impossible to get a premature explosion of this powder except by its denotations with a fulminating cap of at least 6X strength. No amount of rough handling, jarring, dropping or contact with fire will cause this powder to explode. There is absolutely no danger in its manufacture, handling or storage to any damage by explosion to any adjacent property or to any person. It is highly inflamable, and in its manufacture the only danger is by fire, but nothing else. At Chehalis, Wash., it is in an air line from the four principle corners of the city with a population of some six thousand people, and is only one-half mile away from the town. The two hundred and fifty thousand dollar power house that supplies power for the lighting of the city and operation of the interurban electric road is within eight hundred feet of the factory and was built there and put in operation after the powder factory was erected and put in operation after the powder factory was in operation. The council of the City of Chehalis, by resolution, permits a ton of this powder to be kept on the sidewalk in front of the Company's office on the main street of the town in the business district for local sale from eight in the morning to six in the evening, and were it not for the danger of fire would permit it to be kept there constantly. During the time that the company has been in operation at Chehalis it has experienced two fires. All of the powder burned without explosion of any kind, and therefore without danger to the city.

What has been the case in Chehalis in regard to the safety of the powder should be the same for Abbotsford and there is no reason for the people of Abbotsford having any fear for their safety and the safety of the town, with the powder works in close proximity to the town.

There is another pleasing feature about this powder and that is that it can be purchased very much cheaper than that now purchased by the farmer for his land clearing, and incidentally should prove a boon to the man who has land to clear. Cheap powder has always been the cry of the farmer of the Fraser Valley and now that it is to be had by the first of August for local use, it should be considered somewhat of a solution to the clearing of the fertile land in the district.

Miss Jean McPhail, who will reign as May Queen for 1913-14. The ceremonies take place at New Westminster on Friday, May 2nd.

CLOSE SEASON COMING.

Residents of the forestated areas of British Columbia which means necessarily the greater portion of the Province—have now less than three clear weeks in which to dispose of accumulated slash, brush, etc., with a minimum of danger to contiguous timber and without the trifling inconvenience of securing a permit for such operation from the District Forester or Local Fire Warden, as the law directs in the beneficial scheme of forest protection. It may be well to remind all interested residents of the Province that the forestry law prescribes a "close season" extending from May 1 to October 1, during which no slash, brush, etc., may be burned without a permit from the Provincial Forest Board. This prohibition is contained in sections 107 and 108 of the Act, which read as follows:

"During the close season it shall be unlawful for any person to set out, or cause to be set out, started or kindled, any fire in or near any forests or woodlands except for the purpose of clearing land, cooking, obtaining necessary warmth, or for any necessary industrial purpose permitted by the minister, and unless the obligations and precautions imposed in the following sections shall be observed.

"During the close season no person, firm or corporation shall set out, or cause to be set out, fires in or near slashings of forest debris, standing or fallen timber, or bush land, for the purpose of burning slashings, brush, grass or other inflammable material, or for any industrial purpose without first obtaining a permit therefor; provided that no person shall be convicted who shall have set in good faith and with reasonable care a back fire for the purpose of stopping the progress of a fire then actually burning.

It is greatly to their own interest and their own convenience that settlers and all others who have slash on their holdings to be got rid of should attend to its destruction as soon as possible, while all vegetation is as yet green and the ground has not dried under the summer sun, in order that the element of danger through fires spreading may be reduced to a minimum—an advantage to the Province generally and to the settler, but to the settler most of all. Conditions for burning are now described as ideal, and little difficulty is to be anticipated in controlling the fires. In many districts much brush has already been successfully disposed of and much more will have been before the end of the month and the advent of the so-called "close season." If much slash is to be disposed of as by lumbermen or others clearing large areas, it would be well for with the district forestry officer, who these interested parties to consult will be glad to lend his expert advice and assistance in determining the safest and best and at the same time most economical, method to be adopted in the work of clearing. In many quarters it has been prophesized that the coming season is likely to be one of the hardest yet encountered on account of the very heavy growth of grass resulting from last fall's plentiful rainfall. In any event the early removal of brush and debris will do more than anything else to keep dangerous conflagrations from the woods.

WHAT ABBOTSFORD OFFERS THE MANUFACTURER.

In these days when the province of British Columbia is attracting the attention of the manufacturer it is well to know that there are many places among the small towns of the Fraser Valley that are just the spot for manufacturing sites; and that they can be bought at very reasonable rates. With such large prices for the land in the coast cities the time is not far distant when the small towns will attract the manufacturer, especially the small manufacturer, and he is the one who is really of benefit to any community. A large concern in a small town is a nuisance, as the attempt is often made to rule the town and dictate, but the small manufacturer appears always willing to meet the people and the merchants halfway.

There is no better place in all the Fraser Valley than the town of Abbotsford for a manufacturing site. There the best of shipping facilities and plenty of cheap electric power for all purposes that is needed. The shipping facilities are the B. C. E. R., the C. P. R. and the Great Northern. It will thus be seen that goods can be shipped to all points on the Pacific Coast and across the mountains into both the United States and Canadian prairies, a market large enough for a concern with some thousands invested to make money

The electric power can be secured from either the Western Canada Power Company, or the B. C. Electric. Very reasonable terms as to power rates can be secured that will be most acceptible and economical for the manufacturer.

It is worth while to investigate by those who are wanting cheap sites.

Valley Horses are Again Prominent.

Fraser Valley entries, as usual, take a prominent place in the Vancouver Horse Show. In the result of judging announced yesterday, stock from the Colony Farm captured first and second places in the hackney stallion section, Brigham Radian carrying off premier honors.

Mr. D. C. McGregor, of Fraser Arm, with Lady Galore, and Pipperpot was placed third in the division for a span of carriage horses between 14.2 and 15.3 hands.

For standard bred mares three years and over J. H. Wilkinson, of Chilliwack secured first place with Vera Wilkin.

The Colony Farm at Coquitlam with Aranya captured first prize in the section for hackney mares two years and over and again in the roadster class of pacers X L Rosa captured the blue ribbon.

Church Parade.

The local order of Oddfellows intend holing their annual church parade on Sunday morning next to St. Matthew's church, and all visiting brethren are requested to attend. The church choir will render special music

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Friday, April 25, 1913

President Wilson seems in some considerable measure to be redeeming his promises made when on the hustings and is revising the tariff. According to the reports from Washington the new bill will reduce the tariff revenue some $80,000,000 a year. But what is being taken off the tariff will be more than made up by the taxation of incomes.

He has insisted on the cheapening of important articles in general use, and to cover the deficit in revenue he gets after the incomes large and small. It does, however, seem unfair, that incomes of $4,000 a year should have the same income tax placed upon them as those of $19,999 and that they should pay one per cent. when all over $100,000 a year will only pay 4 per cent. The scale should surely be better graduated. John D. Rockefeller, with perhaps ten or twelve millions a year, could undoubtedly better afford to pay three or four of those millions to the state than the small merchant who makes $4,000 a year can afford to contribute $40 a year. It is probably just enough that the man in receipt of $4,000 should be taxed one per cent. of it, how much more proper and just it is then that men with such vast incomes as that of Rockefeller should pay into the coffers of the state a much larger proportion than 4 per cent. of them?

However, it is pleasing to note that the tariff, which a few years ago was getting higher and higher each time the government worked with it, is now coming down. It looks better than to see the Canadian government running with reciprocity as a free gift. The Canadian government are now in a position to meet the Americans half way, should the Borden government feel so inclined.

With flour on the free list and a heavy reduction on wheat it would appear that the Canadian farmer is now in an excellent position to compete with the United States farmer and at the same time make a little money. It is just possible that large flour mills will be established throughout the west.

Things would appear to be for the bettering of the condition of the prairie farmer. With the privilege of borrowing money on his crop without having to hustle it to the elevator at a sacrifice, and the manufactured product being put on the free list so far as the United States is concerned, would it not appear things were coming somepeople's way.

Can't somebody do something so that the fruit-grower will have matters placed in better condition?

What about a Beauty Day for the town when everybody gets busy to clean up.

Let's form a pick-up club, and everyone join. There are many things that are detrimental to the health of the people of Mission City that could be picked up and placed on the rubbish heap and burned, if we are to have a clear bill of health.

THE NEW TARIFF.

The removal of all tariff from many articles of fod and clothing, broad reductions in the rates of duty on all necessaries of life; an increase of tariff on many luxuries, and a new income tax, that would touch the pocket of every American citizen whose net income exceeds $4,000, are the striking features of the new Democratic tariff revision bill, presented to the house at Washington.

Sugar would be free of duty in 1916, the bill proposing an immediate 25 per cent. reduction and the removal of the remaining duty in 1916. Raw wool would be made free at once, with a corresponding heavy reduction in the tariff on woolen goods. All these other articles are put on the free list, namely:

Meats, flour, bread, boots and shoes, lumber, coal, harness saddlery iron ore, milk and cream, potatoes, salt, swine, corn cornmeal, cotton bagging, agricultural implements, leather, wood pulp, Bibles, printing paper not worth more than two and a half cents a pound, typewriters, sewing machines, typesetting machines, cash registers, steel rail, fence wire, cotton ties, nails, hoops and band iron, fish, sulphur, soda, tanning materials, acetic and sulphuric acids, borax, lumber products, including broom handles, clapboards, hubs for wheels, posts, pickets, staves and shingles.

These principal items are taken from the free list and taxed:

Rough and uncut diamonds and precious stones, coal tar products, 10 per cent.; volatile oils, 20 per cent.; spices, from 1 cent to 2 cents per pound.

The new rates are estimated to reduce the customs revenue about $80,000,000 a year. This is expected to be made up by the income tax. Endorsed by President Wilson the measure represents the efforts of the president and the house tariff makers to carry into effect the Democratic pledges of downward revision and of concessions to the American consumer.

Protection to the farmer would be cut throughout by more than 50 per cent. in an effort to reduce the cost of food.

Protection to the steel and implement manufacturers would in turn be cut by fully as wide a margin.

Heaviest reductions fall upon foodstuffs, agricultural products, woolen and cotton goods. The free wool proposal, backed by the president and accepted by the house committee, is expected to provoke a severe fight within the ranks of both houses. The proposed changes in rates not included in the foregoing rates follow:

Barley matte, from 45 cents to 25 cents a bushel; buckwheat from 15 to 8 cents a bushel; oats, from 15 to 10 cents a bushel; rice, cleaned, from 2 to 1 cent a pound; wheat from 25 to 5 cents a bushel; butter, from 6 to 3 cents per pound; cheese, from 6 cents per pound to 20 per cent. ad valorem; beans, from 45 to 25 cents per bushel; eggs, from 5 to 2 cents a doz.; nursery cuttings and seedlings, from 25 per cent. to 15 per cent.; fresh vegetables, from 25 per cent. to 15 per cent.; apples, peaches, etc., from 25 to 10 cents a bushel.

The income tax which will transfer indirect taxes levied through the tariff into a direct tax upon the incomes of individuals and corporations, exempts all sums below $4,000. Incomes in excess of that amount will pay 1 per cent. up to $20,000; 2 per cent from $20,000 to $50,000; 3 per cent. from $50,000 to $100,000, and 4 per cent. above that figure. The bill also includes in its provisions the property and earnings in this country of persons living abroad. The present corporation tax levying 1 per cent. on corporation incomes above $5,000 would be retained as part of the income tax.

To encourage trade with foreign countries, the bill would reverse the maximum and minimum provisions of the present tariff law. The new tariff would be the maximum tariff and the president would be given authority to negotiate reciprocity treaties and make concessions to countries that grant favors to American exporters.

THE OUTLOCK.

Tennyson said, "He was of the opinion that if Keats had lived he would have been the greatest poet since Milton." Now, what Keats did for English poetry was to bring it back to the untrammelled contemplation of beauty as an end in itself. He was different to Shelly in as much as "he had no political or social creed to express; no revolt against convention, as had Byron; no new philosophy to impart, as had Wordsworth. His entire message was beauty, his beauty was truth. He was a born poet, not a made poet. All he did was done with a fine instinctive art of his own poetic impulse. Both his life and works are worth the most careful and attentive study. His poetry is the most perfect we have in the language.

Shelly has two aspects, a purely political and a purely poetical. From the political point of view he is the poet in revolt. He was the first English poet who believed in the democracy. So far as Christianity he lived to modify his opinions, and to write a noble essay on Christ. He struck the first note of a war of intelligence against stupidity. Among lyrical poets he stands supreme. His "Ode to the West Wind" and his lines written among the Euganean hills. The charm of his life, its fine sincerity and enthusiasm for ideals, and his noble generositios are among the best things to be remembered about him by his countrymen. Great poets usually arise in groups.

After the artificiality of the school of Pope comes the almost artless simplicity of Wordsworth, the potent passion of Byron, the ornate perfection of Keats, and the lyrical splendor of Shelley.

Then, after a long time, came Tennyson, uniting with perfect art the simplicity of Wordsworth and the ornateness of Keats; and as a counterpart of his smooth perfection the grotesque and daring genius of Browning.

With the death of Tennyson the tide ebbed once more. This, of course, does not imply the decay of poetry, but we have no one among us with a real message, with the genius to invent a new style. It may be that nature rests before producing another great poet. It may be as well to say that, it is evident that in all that concerns form, poetry has greatly advanced in the last generation. There are writers to-day who in some degree may surpass the less inspired moods of Wordsworth, or beat Byron at his worst, but we are waiting for the new message to be heard yet. It will come. We shall know when we hear it.

The earth has seasons and so has the soul. There are periodic hours of visitation, when the general movement runs through society and a fresh wind of intellectual impulse blows over all lands simultaneously. This fact is well-known to all readers of history, and the examples found therein prove the case.

In the meantime let us study poets and poetry we have at hand and in our study, and we shall have much profit.

We shall not be able to write any more for at least two months, when we hope to take up this much loved work again.

It wasn't a Missouri editor but a printer's devil who was going through his first experience on "making up" forms. The paper was late and the boy got the galleys mixed. The first part of an obituary notice of a pecunious citizen had been dumped in the forms and, the next handful of type came off a galley describing a recent fire. It read like this: "The pall bearers lowered the body to the grave and it was consigned to the flames, with few if any regrets, for the old wreck had been an eyesore to the town for years. Of course there was individual loss, but that was fully covered by insurance." The widow thinks the editor wrote the obituary that way because the lamented partner of her joys and sorrows owed him five years' subscription.

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Bringing the joke of comedian,
The black border of sorrow and tear.
I josh of lass at the seaside,
Expose the rogue and the churl,
Laugh at the antics of "Ruben,"
Adore the plain country girl.
Tell of war and religion,
Latest invention of man,
Advocate folk to be honest,
No matter what status or clan.

I tell of numerous riot,
Of factory, workshop, and mine,
I preach of truth and honor
And warn of "snyster" and "grafter,"
Praise our climate—divine,
Herald of storm and confession,
Drama, circus; political crowd,
Posterity, adversity, pleasure,
Wedding bells, and black somber shrouds.

Insist on "peace and good will,"
Charity for all those deserving,
While climbing life's rugged hill,
Mention the suicide—gambler,
Deserted wife—ruined home,
Tell of happiness, love and affection,
Dreadful wreck on the angry foam.
Spread the name and fame of a city,
Cheer up the weak and frail,
Speak of saint and the sinner,
Of minister, trust, and the jail,
I tell of millionaire—poorhouse,
The banquet, dance, and the grave,
I am only the ink on the paper,
Yet, no medal or Duty, I crave.

LUE E. VERNON.

Instead of buttons such as fencers use on their weapons, the Massachusetts women might, in order to comply with the new law, stick wads of chewing gum on the points of their hat pins to protect the public from injury.

STRAYED—To my place, a Grade Jersey Heifer, about seven months old, on December 1st. Owner can claim same by paying for notice and board. G. C. Kenney, 1¼ mile east, ½ mile north of Vye Station.

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THE MARKET.

For the first time this year fresh local oolichans were offered for sale at the regular weekly market, New Westminster, selling at three pounds for 25c; those which have been on sale heretofore having been imported from the Columbia river. Although in every department there was little appreciable change in prices the market is improving from week to week as summer approaches. A briskness in trade is noticeable which did not characterize the winter market, and a spirit of "good business" permeates every department.

The anticipated fall in the price of spring salmon did not materialize, 20c being paid for the red variety as heretofore. Eggs opened at 35c a dozen, but later on account of the extra large supply, fell to 30c a dozen and remained firm at that price during the remainder of the market. An unusually large supply of seeds, bedding plants, slips and spring planting requisite were there for the horticulturists and vendors were almost rushed off their feet attending to the wants of the various purchasers. Tulips were to be had by the dozen, grown out of doors and transplanted into pots, at 25c a pot. Gladioli bulbs at 75c a dozen, cabbage, tomato, lobelia, salvia and cauliflower bedding plants found a very hearty demand, for the larger portion realizing 25c per two dozen bunch. Rhubarb roots were offered at 2 for 25c. Throughout the flower department the plants which were offered this week appeared to be in a much more healthy condition than those previously displayed, that they were appreciated by the shoppers were evidenced by the steady and brisk demand.

Poultry prices remained the same as last week, chickens selling for from $12 to $13 a dozen, with an excellent supply. Ducks still remained scarce and the high price, $18 a doz., still prevailed, although in a very unsteady condition. The vegetable market showed little change either in supply or demand, supply still being superabundant and the demand mediocre. Prices remained unchanged with no indication of immediate diminution or appreciation.

Butter still remained at 40c a pound with no signs of a change. A number of crates of shoats were offered for sale. The little grunters sold at about $6 each. A small supply of hatching goose eggs were offered at 20c apiece and hatching duck eggs at 75c a dozen. Some squabs were also on the market, but were not offered for sale.

Eggs, new laid, per doz	30c
Eggs, wholesale, doz.	25c to 27c
Hatching eggs, doz.	50c to $1
Eggs, duck, per dozen	35c to 40c
Chickens, per dozen	$12 to $13
Pullets, per dozen	$12 to $15
Young birds, per dozen	$6 to $8
Broilers, per dozen	$4 to $6
Poultry, live weight	20c to 23c
Ducks, per doz.	$12 to $24
Ducks, per lb.	20c to 22c
Poultry, dressed, per lb	30c
Turkey, per lb. live weight	33c to 35c
Geese, per lb. live weight	20c to 23c
Turkey, dressed, per lb.	40c
Geese, dressed, per lb	23c to 25c

Vegetables

Potatoes, per ton	$8 to $12
Beets, per sack	$1.00
Carrots, per sack	75c
Cabbage, wholesale, lb	1½ to 2c
Cabbage, per head	10c to 15c
Onions, per sack	$1.25
Celery, per crate	$1.50
Turnips, per sack	60c
Parsnips	50c

Small Fruits.

Apples, per box	$1 to $1.2
Apples, 5 lbs	25c
Pears, per box	$1.00

Eggs and Butter.

Duck eggs, doz.	35c to 40c
Young birds, per dozen	$6 to $8
Butter, retail, per lb.	35c to 40c
Honey, per comb	25c

Wholesale Meat.

Pork, per lb	13c to 13½c
Lamb, per lb.	12 1-2c
Mutton, per lb	12½c to 13c

Retail Meats.

Beef, best rib roasts	20c to 22c
Beef, loin	26c to 27c
Beef, round steak	20c to 25c
Boiling beef	14c
Beef, short loin	28c
Beef, post roast	18c
Pork	20c to 25c
Mutton	20c to 22 1-2c
Sugar cured corned pork	20c
Homemade pork sausagge, lb	20c
Salted pigs' head, lb	8c
Pickled pigs' shanks, lb	10c
Pickled pigs' shanks, lb	15c
Sugar cured hogs' heads, lb	8c
Sugar cured corned beef, lb	15c
Pure lard	15c
Sugar cured bacon	20c

Fish.

Salmon, cohoes	15c, 2 for 25c
Steelhead salmon, per lb.	15c
Sturgeon	15c
Halibut	10c
Smelts	10c
Oolichans, per lb.	10c
Cod, per lb.	10c
Salmon, frozen, per lb.	15c
Halibut, per lb.	12 1-2c
Spring salmon, red, lb	20c
Spring salmon, white, lb	15c

THE KIND OF A MAN A WOMAN LIKES.

The kind of man a woman likes has been discussed by Mrs. Baillie Reynolds, of London. She writes in part:

"The question is as preposterous as the question 'Is Marriage a Failure?' It is as futile a it would be to enquire, 'Are eggs fresh.' The whole point is that some eggs are fresh and some are not, that some marriages are failures and some are not, that come women like one kind of man and some women another. It takes all sorts to make a world, and this is fortunate. If the same individual were attractive to all members of the other sex, a situation of some difficulty might result.

"So long as we use the expression 'falling in love' so long shall we fail to distinguish between love and a thing very different.

"Most people confuse the two things hopelessly. You will hear them say of some marriage which has ended in disaster, 'And it was quite a love marriage, you know. They were simply wild about each other.' They may have been; but they did not love each other. . . . .

"We find ourselves, in this twentieth century, a nation full of nerves and fads, living for the most part lives compounded of small issues and small worries. Such a life will not stand the strain of marriage without the secret lamp of pure love to light the way—love that never fails—that hopes, believes, endures.

The man who is generally attractive is the man to be shunned by the woman who desires a happy home. Such a man is not and cannot be the friend whose steady and patient tenderness and sympathetic understanding are going to lead her safely across the shoals of 'midchannel.'

"What a woman wants is, the man who is capable of loving, and who loves her individually."

A VALIANT JOURNALIST.

The passing of Mr. F. J. Deane leaves a gap in the journalism of the Kootenays which will not easily be filled. He was without doubt one of the keenest, most intellectual and aggressive newspaper men in B. C., and had been identified with its interests for nearly twenty years. To him will always belong the distinction of having established and successfully conducted the best newspaper in the interior of British Columbia, the Nelson Daily News. In conducting this paper Mr. Deane followed his own ideas, and although he was at times hampered by his associates, he never sacrificed his independence, or allowed himself to be diverted from his policy. He was at all times a consistent and aggressive Liberal; he never sat on the fence, but was a newspaperman, who believed that the public wanted the news. He got it for them at whatever cost, with the result that his paper was known far and wide and had almost as large a circulation outside as within its home constituency. Mr. Deane's health had not been good for years, and of late his friends had noticed that he was failing fast. His death removes a man who was universally respected, and one of the few strong political partisans who made no enemies among his opponents. His editorials were brief, concise, lucid and pungent, characteristics in which he resembled one who was for many years his fellow townsman and rival, the late John Houston. Mr. Deane will be greatly missed by the party to which he rendered conspicuous service, and none the less by those who recognized that in him they had a foeman worthy of their steel.—The Week.

MUNICIPALITY OF MATSQUI.

Bye-election for Councillor for Ward 3.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the Electors of the Municipality of Matsqui that I require the presence of the said Electors at the Municipal Hall on Monday, April 28th, at 12 o'clock, noon, for the purpose of electing a person to represent them in the Municipal Council as Councillor for Ward 3.

The mode of nomination shall be as follows: The Candidate shall be nominated in writing, the writing shall be subscribed by two voters as proposer and seconder, and shall be delivered to the Returning Officer at any time between the date of this notice and 2 p.m. of the day of nomination, and in the event of a Poll being necessary such Poll shall be opened on Saturday, May 3rd, as follows:

1. The office building of the Clayburn Company, Ltd., at Clayburn.
2. The office building of the Abbotsford Timber and Trading Company, Ltd., at Abotsford.

From 9 o'clock in the forenoon to 7 o'clock in the afternoon. Of which persons are required to take notice and to govern themselves accordingly.

QUALIFICATION.

The qualification shall be his being a male British subject and having been for three months next preceding the day of his nomination the Registered Owner, in the Land Registry Office, of land or real property situate within the Municipality of the assessed value, on the last Municipal or Provincial Assessment Roll, of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars or more, over and above any registered judgment or charge; or being a homesteader, lessee from the Crown, or pre-emptor, who has resided within the Municipality for a portion of a year immediately preceding the nomination, and who during the remainder of said year has been the owner of said land of which he formerly was a homesteader, lessee from the Crown or pre-emptor, and who is assessed for Five Hundred Dollars or more on the last Municipal or Provincial Assessment Roll, over and above any registered judgment or charge, and being otherwise duly qualified as a voter.

Given Under My Hand at Mt. Lehman, B.C., this 17th day of April, A.D. 1913.

JAMES GIBSON,
Returning Officer.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that meetings of the Provincial Agricultural Commission will be held at the following places:

Steveston—April 25th, 10 a. m.
Ladner—April 26th, 10 a. m.
Cloverdale—April 28th, and 29th, 10 a. m.
Milner—April 30th, 10 a. m.
Huntingdon—April 30th, 7:30 a. m.
Aldergrove—May 1st, 10 a. m.
Abbotsford—May 2nd and 3rd, 10 a. m.
Chilliwack—May 5th and 6th, 10 a. m.
Port Haney, May 7th, 9:30 a. m.
Port Hammond—May 7th, 2:30 p. m.
Mission City—May 8th, 10 a. m.

The Commission will hear evidence on all matters affecting agricultural conditions in the Province. All persons interested are invited to be present.

W. H. HAYWARD, M.L.A.,
Chairman.
C. B. CHRISTENSEN,
Secretary. ap15

LOCALS.

BIRTH—To Mr. and Mrs. S. Bedlow a daughter.

The many friends of Mrs. Straiton will regret to learn that she has again to return to the hospital to undergo further treatment.

Mr. J. Blair, of Vancouver, was in town this week on business.

Mr. Geo. Clark, was a business visitor to the coast cities.

Mr. Campbell, of Thomson & Campbell, wine and liquor dealers, Vancouver, paid Abbotsford an official visit Tuesday.

Mr. J. Anderson, of Vancouver, was in town on Tuesday.

Mr. D. Straiton has resumed duties at the Kilgard Brick Works, after his recent accident.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Hilltout have returned from an extensive visit to the south.

A number of the young bachelors of Abbotsford intend giving an at home in the near future. Grand Boulevard will be the scene of the festivities.

Mrs. Yenney is rapidly recovering from her recent illness.

Messrs. Henderson and Taylor have completed the survey for the new Dominion Power Works site, and the work of clearing will be started immediately.

Construction on the Gazley block is progressing favorably under the able supervision of Contractors Chamberlain and McKinnon.

The Abbotsford Tennis Club held a very successful meeting on Saturday last.

A number of our local anglers came in with good catches on Saturday and Sunday.

A little more interest shown in lacrosse circles would be beneficial. There are quite a number of promising players in town and under the right kind of management a creditable team could soon be organized.

The Home Cooking Bazaar given by the Ladies' Aid of St. Andrews church last Saturday proved one of the most enjoyable events of the season.

Langley Wins Chapman Cup.

On Saturday last the Abbotsford football team suffered defeat from Langley by a score of 3 to 1. This was the final match for the chapman cup, and with it went the honors of holding the cup. The Abbotsford team was weakened by the absence of three of their strongest defence men, but throughout the game was strenuously contested, though the rain marred the game from a spectators point of view. The next match will be played at Mission City between the same teams for the Haddad Cup. Our home boys say that there will be no possible chance of them losing this match.

MUNICIPALITY OF MATSQUI.

Bye-election for Councillor for Ward 3.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the Electors of the Municipality of Matsqui that I require the presence of the said Electors at the Municipal Hall on Monday, April 28th, at 12 o'clock, noon, for the purpose of electing a person to represent them in the Municipal Council as Councillor for Ward 3.

The mode of nomination shall be as follows: The Candidate shall be nominated in writing, the writing shall be subscribed by two voters as proposer and seconder, and shall be delivered to the Returning Officer at any time between the date of this notice and 2 p.m. of the day of nomination, and in the event of a Poll being necessary such Poll shall be opened on Saturday, May 3rd, as follows:

1. The office building of the Clayburn Company, Ltd., at Clayburn.

2. The office building of the Abbotsford Timber and Trading Company, Ltd., at Abotsford.

From 9 o'clock in the forenoon to 7 o'clock in the afternoon. Of which persons are required to take notice and to govern themselves accordingly.

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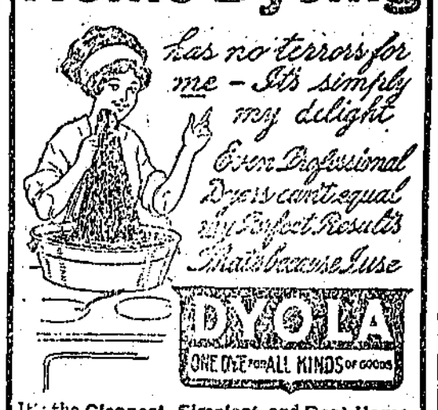

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LOST—On Sunday, April 14th, on road between Kilgard and Abbottsford, small parcel wrapped in red waterproof covering, containing poncho, shaving kit and sundry toilet articles. Will finder kindly express same to 1414 Dominion Building, Vancouver, and receive reward of $2. L. W. Fisk.

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